



**May 31, June 1 & 2, 2002**

## NORTHWEST DIVISION HAM CONVENTION

*"The Northwest's Largest Ham Convention"*

**Seaside Convention Center  
415 1st Avenue  
Seaside Oregon**



### Convention Schedule

#### Friday, May 31

Registration.....11:00 AM-8:00 PM  
Exhibitor & Flea Market (Set Up Only)..11:00 AM-8:00 PM  
**Friday Antenna Workshop**.....12:30 PM-5:00 PM  
Riverside Rooms A, B & C  
"Hangout For Bored Spouses"..... 6:00 PM-8:00 PM  
Convention Center Inn, Room 125

#### Saturday, June 1

Exhibitor & Flea Market (Set Up Only)....7:30 AM-9:00 AM  
Registration..... 8:00 AM-4:30 PM  
Exhibits & Flea Market.....9:00 AM-4:30 PM  
Snack Bar.....9:00 AM-4:30 PM  
"Hangout For Bored Spouses".....9:00 AM-5:00 PM  
Hospitality Suite, Convention Center Inn, Room 125  
Kids, Krayons & Kartoons..... 9:00 AM-4:30 PM  
VE Exams (Pre-registered Only).....9:00 AM-12:00 N  
Our Savior's Lutheran Church  
Seminars.....9:30 AM-5:00 PM  
YLRL Luncheon & Program..... 11:30 AM-1:30 PM  
Best Western, Oceanview Resort  
QCWA Luncheon..... 11:30 AM-1:30 PM  
Best Western, Oceanview Resort  
Pre-Banquet Happy Hour.....6:30 PM-7:15 PM  
Banquet.....7:15 PM-9:30 PM

#### Sunday, June 2

Registration..... 8:30 AM-12:00 N  
Exhibits & Flea Market..... 9:00 AM-12:00 N  
"Hangout For Bored Spouses"..... 9:00 AM-12:00 N  
Hospitality Suite, Convention Center Inn, Room 125  
Kids, Krayons & Kartoons..... 9:00 AM-2:00 PM  
Seminars..... 9:00 AM-12:00 N  
Snack Bar..... 9:30 AM-2:00 PM  
Grand Awards..... 1:00 PM-2:00 PM  
Convention Closes.....2:00 PM

*A Complete Schedule of activities and locations is available  
at the Convention Center beginning on Friday May 31, 2002*

### Ladies Programs

#### "A HANGOUT FOR BORED SPOUSES"

Hospitality Suite - Convention Center Inn Room 125  
Free to Convention Goers  
*Put Your Feet Up*

**Friday 6:00 PM To 8:00 PM**

**Saturday 9:00 AM To 5:00 PM**  
10:00 To 11:00 AM Seminar:

Breast Cancer: Killer of Women and Men  
Anne Gardner-Lindgren, Presenter

Crafts, Refreshments, Book Exchange  
Recipe Swap, Puzzles  
(Bring used greeting cards for a craft project)

**Sunday 9:00 AM TO 12:00 NOON**  
Crafts, Refreshments, Book Exchange  
Recipe Swap, Puzzles

#### YLRL LADIES LUNCHEON (ALL LADIES ARE INVITED)

#### "ESCAPE FROM MT. ST. HELENS"

Mariana Kearney W7WFO  
Hear and see a personal account of escaping the wrath of  
the erupting volcano

**Talk-in Frequency 146.660 (-600)**

### Information Contacts

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<b>Lodging Assistance in Seaside:</b>	<b>888-306-2326</b> Web Site: <a href="http://www.seasideor.com">www.seasideor.com</a>
<b>Mailing Address:</b>	<b>SEAPAC Ham Convention</b> Post Office Box 219142 Portland, Oregon 97225
<b>SEAPAC Home Page:</b>	<a href="http://www.seapac.org">www.seapac.org</a>



## Banquet Program

**Riley Hollingsworth, K4ZDH, Special Counsel for Amateur Radio Enforcement** is the Banquet speaker, sponsored by Hoodview Amateur Radio Club. The FCC shifted enforcement duties in 1998. The objective was to "facilitate the Commission's pursuit of compliance," especially in the area of resolving interference complaints. William Riley Hollingsworth, who prefers "Riley," the Compliance and Information Bureau's legal advisor for enforcement came into prominence.

Hollingsworth has taken a proactive stance toward enforcement of amateur radio practices. The change put all enforcement matters "from initiation to resolution" in the same bureau. After three years, Riley Hollingsworth praises the overall level of Amateur Radio compliance with FCC rules as "outstanding."

Holding an Advanced Class License and an amateur for 41 years, Hollingsworth declares his pride in the Amateur Service. "I saw the energy and compassion and excellent operating of amateurs at the Pentagon and World Trade Center after September 11," he said. "I've seen and heard it at the National Hurricane Center in Miami--home of W4EHW--and in countless meetings with individual amateurs and at amateur events all over the United States."

ARRL President Jim Haynie, W5JBP, lauds Hollingsworth as "a great gift" to the amateur community and expressed appreciation on behalf of the League for what he's been able to accomplish during his tenure. Haynie said that Hollingsworth--guided by his passions for Amateur Radio and for the law--"has given hams across the nation reason to pause, think, promote and yes, even laugh about ourselves."

At the beginning of his fourth year, Hollingsworth said, "I have strong feelings about the Amateur Radio Service and its diverse participants. I personally believe that it has the brightest potential in 25 years... the overwhelming majority of amateur operators care about Amateur Radio, want it to thrive and want to share their joy and enthusiasm for it...that's why we have had a 99.9% support level for the enforcement program." He says, "Participate in your service with enthusiasm, celebrate it, enjoy it and share it, because you have made it an incredible national resource..."

## Seminars

SEAPAC 2002 brings you a variety of seminars and forums on technical and regulatory matters. Become informed in an up-close and personal atmosphere with the knowledgeable people in our hobby. Some topics scheduled:

New Digital Modes	A.P.R.S.
Packet	Antenna Workshop
Emergency Preparedness	ARRL Forum

*Check the SEAPAC website for updates. A Complete Schedule of seminars, forums and locations is available at the Convention Center beginning on Friday May 31, 2002*

## RAGS Country Store

Do you have a really neat rig that wants and needs a new home? RAGS sponsors a Country Store where your rig can be displayed for sale. This will be on a first-come first-served basis. Your boat anchor is someone else's dream machine! To reserve a spot, call or write to:

Gene Mielke KA7JNU

3926 Fairview

Hood River OR 97031

541-386-2041

Geneandkaren@gorge.net

Buying a piece of used equipment?  
Check it out **FREE** on our test bench.

## ARRL Guests

Our Special Guest this year is **ARRL First Vice President, Joel Harrison W5ZN**, of Judsonia, Arkansas. Joel has served since 1996 and is former Delta Division Director. He, along with Greg Milnes W7OZ, Northwest Division Director, represents ARRL: The National Association for Amateur Radio.

## Friday Antenna Workshop

**"The Venerable Vertical"**

**Presented by**

**Marshall Johnson KK7CW**

Friday, 12:30 PM-5:00 PM, Riverview rooms A, B & C

The history and use of the original successful radio antenna used by G. Marconi for the first trans-Atlantic QSO. Designs and construction notes for your own low band antenna. Of course, a full study of the theory of what makes vertical antennae work; radiators, ground systems, feed systems, matching systems, efficiency, resonance. Learn how to use the ultimate limited space antenna for all amateur bands and conditions.

Attendance limited to first 100 registrants. Fee \$10 for pre-registered and \$12 (space available) at the door. Deadline for pre-registered is May 24, 2002.

*(Workshop price does not include Convention Registration)*



## VE Testing

Testing will be at Our Saviour's Lutheran Church across from the Convention Center. One session only, offered at 9:00 AM on Saturday, June 1, 2002.

### VE Testing by pre-registration only. No walk-ins!

Registration must be received by April 30, 2002. Register early - only 50 applicants will be accepted. Confirmation will be sent to registered participants after May 1, 2002. Checks are refundable only if cancellation is received prior to June 1st.

To register, send a completed NCVEC Form 605 (Not the FCC Form 605) with the VE Test Application and a check or money order for \$10.00 made payable to **ARRL/VEC** to:

Carl Clawson, WS7L  
20767 NW Old Pass Rd  
Hillsboro OR 97124

The NCVEC Form 605 is available at [www.arrl.org/arrlvec/ncvec605-3.pdf](http://www.arrl.org/arrlvec/ncvec605-3.pdf) or by sending a business-size SASE to WS7L.

Bring with you the original of your license **AND** a photocopy of same, one piece of photo ID (driver's license, etc.), and any CSCE's that apply **AND** a photocopy of each CSCE.

Additional information, call Carl Clawson evenings at 503-629-5796, write, or email [ws7l@arrl.net](mailto:ws7l@arrl.net).

Note: Incomplete applications or those using the wrong forms will be returned.

## SEAPAC Grand Awards

### Need Not Be Present

Kenwood TS-50 HF Mobile  
Kenwood TH-F6A Tri-band HT  
ICOM IC-T81A Dual Band HT  
Alinco DJ-V5TH Dual Band HT  
Kenwood TM-261A 2 Meter Mob

### Must Be In Convention Center (None by Proxy)

Yaesu FT-817 HF/VHF/UHF Mob  
Alinco DR605TQ Dual Band Mob  
Yaesu VX-5R Tri-Band HT  
ICOM IC-207H Dual Band Mob  
Kenwood TH-22AT 2 Meter Mob

### Early Bird Awards

Registrations postmarked by April 30, 2002 will be eligible for Early Bird Awards

Alinco DX-70TH HF/6m Mob  
Am-Com Clear Speech Speaker

### Hourly Awards

Posted in the lobby and on stage for 2 hours

*Awards unclaimed are re-issued!*

Award models subject to change depending on availability from the manufacturer

### Flea Market Table Renters Note:

SEAPAC Flea Market is a service to those with used ham gear to sell or trade. Table renters with new equipment on their tables may be asked to remove it if a Commercial Exhibitor (Main Floor Booth) objects. No power is available for Flea Market

## Seaside Community Information

The City of Seaside does not allow overnight parking on streets and parking lots. Violators are ticketed. If all RV Parks in Seaside are full, a special permit may be obtained from the City to park in designated lots. Permit fee is \$12 per night. Self-contained RV's only. Details available at the Convention Center during SEAPAC. Call 800-394-3303 or 503-738-8585. Seaside Street Car Shuttle Service is available at \$2.00 all day.

Trailer Parks, Campgrounds and Alternative Housing are available. A list of facilities is available from the SEAPAC Web site [www.seapac.org](http://www.seapac.org) or call Seaside Lodging Info, 888-306-2326.

## VE Test Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City, State, Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Call/Current License Class \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone/e-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Please check the examination element(s) you wish to take and the license class you wish to receive:

<input type="checkbox"/> Element 1 (5 WPM Morse)	<input type="checkbox"/> Technician
<input type="checkbox"/> Element 2 (Technician Written)	<input type="checkbox"/> Technician/HF
<input type="checkbox"/> Element 3 (General Written)	<input type="checkbox"/> General
<input type="checkbox"/> Element 4 (Extra Written)	<input type="checkbox"/> Extra

PLEASE ALLOW 4 WEEKS FOR RECEIPT OF TICKETS

NOTE: Flea Market participants must register for the convention

## REGISTRATION

Make checks payable to "SEAPAC"

No. \_\_\_\_\_  
Office Use Only

Mail To: SEAPAC, Box 219142, Portland, OR 97225-9142

Mail Deadline: May 24, 2002

Friday Workshop Registration at \$10.00...  
(Limit: 100 participants - \$12.00 at door if space available) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Registrations at \$7.00 ea. (\$9.00 at the door)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Children 12 (and under) FREE

Flea Market Tables (No Dealer Sales) ..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(\$15 per table per day or \$25 per table for 2 days)  
(NO power available)

Saturday YLRL Lunch at \$12.00 (50 person limit)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday QCWA Lunch at \$12.00 (50 person limit)..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Saturday Banquet Salmon Dinner at \$20.00..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Sat. Banquet Boneless BBQ Pork at \$20.00..... \$ \_\_\_\_\_  
(300 person limit for Banquet)

Total.... \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Name \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address/Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Call Sign \_\_\_\_\_

NICKNAME & CALL SIGN FOR REGISTRATION BADGE  
(Please Indicate Children: (C) Please Print)

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The OREGON TUALATIN VALLEY AMATEUR RADIO CLUB wishes to thank Clark County ARC, Sunset Empire ARC, RAGS and Hoodview ARC for their assistance and contributions to the convention. We hope everyone will enjoy themselves to the fullest and be a part in making this event a success. We look forward to seeing you in Seaside. If you have any suggestions, please let us know.

Note: The convention sponsors reserve the right to alter the "Convention Schedule and programs." All registrants, including convention sponsors, are eligible for awards. Good Luck to All.

Drawing Rules: You need not be present to win Grand Award; no purchase necessary; limit one entry per person (unless pre-registered by April 30, 2002).

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Seaside Convention Center is a No Smoking Facility. ORS 433.839 and 433.875